

THE MOHAVE MINER.

KINGMAN, AUGUST 4, 1888.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE COUNTY.

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

It does rain in Arizona.

Silver, \$.92. Lead, \$4.35.

Kingman has three amateur photographers.

Finest of wines at Russell, Ziemer & Barrett's.

Best brands of beer always on ice at the Arcade.

Fine old bourbon at Russell, Ziemer & Barrett's.

The A. & P. pay car passed east last Saturday night.

Key West and Cuba cigars at the Arcade Saloon.

Full size sheets Bristol board, 22x28 inches, for sale at this office.

The passenger train west-bound was several hours late on Thursday.

The Democrats of Yavapai county held their primaries on last Saturday.

Large sheets of blotting paper of the best quality for sale at the Miner's office.

County politics are beginning to bud and will be in full bloom ere many weeks.

A. F. Simonds has peaches and grapes enough to supply the wants of Kingman.

The people of Peach Springs enjoyed a dance at the school house in that place Monday night.

Mrs. Atcheson, of Columbus, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Nelson, at Peach Springs.

Mrs. Atcheson and Miss Gertrude Nelson, of Peach Springs, spent several days in Kingman this week.

The case of W. E. Frost vs. Francis Maguire, in the Justice's Court last Saturday, was dismissed.

Chairman of the Board of Supervisors Ben T. Crocker is the largest individual taxpayer in Mohave county.

F. Benson left Tuesday morning for San Diego on an extended visit to his family, who reside at that place.

The MINER is under obligations to the Secretary of the Arizona Industrial Exposition for a lot of premium flats.

Commercial printing of all kinds a specialty at the Miner's office. Call and examine samples and prices.

Owing to intending departure I offer my house and lot in Kingman for sale at a low price.

Mrs. J. W. Hyde.

James Rothwell and wife returned to Hackberry this week after a month's visit with relatives in Kansas and Iowa.

Frank Hamilton was in town this week for the purpose of having the notice of forfeiture of the Mississippi mine recorded.

T. L. Crane, a well-known A. & P. engineer, has recovered from his recent illness and is now back at his old place again.

Mrs. J. R. Russell and her mother, Mrs. Kenney, left Wednesday morning for a visit of several weeks in Stockton, California.

Chas. H. Beecher returned Tuesday night from a trip of several weeks through California. He is pretty well satisfied with Kingman now.

J. Blakely returned from the Willows Friday, where he had gone to officiate at the marriage of W. F. Bacon to Miss Canby of East.

A. S. Coyle, a former popular freight conductor on this division of the A. & P., but now in business at Peach Springs, was in town Tuesday of this week.

E. W. Hyltke, an A. & P. brakeman, had his hand badly injured last Sunday by being caught between the drawheads of two freight cars at Peach Springs.

For SALE—A jig, now in use at the American flag mine. For price apply to Wm. Richards, Kingman, or James Pemberton, Superintendent of the mine.

What he becomes of the hook and ladder company that was to have been organized here a few weeks ago? Do not give the project up. It is something that is badly needed here.

The case of The Arizo. Ore Company vs. Wm. Richards has been amicably settled. Mr. Richards pays half the amount claimed by the Arizo. Works and the costs in the case.

The lovers of the dance in Kingman on Monday night of this week "tripped" a "light fantastic" in the new lodging house of Richards & Corin. A good attendance and an enjoyable time is reported.

Hon. David Southwick is in town this week. He says that the Star Spangled Banner is looking better than ever and that he has twelve tons of gold ore at the Cerbat mill, which is now being worked.

Paul Frick came in from Chloride last week for the purpose of having a small piece of steel removed from his left eye, which had accidentally lodged there and could not be removed by the ordinary methods.

James O. Barrett has purchased Harley Day's interest in the Arcade saloon, and the firm will now be known as Russell, Ziemer & Barrett. Mr. Barrett would have his old friends call on him at the Arcade.

The A. & P. Railroad are putting on the road a new Italian laborer on the road as section men and laborers. It is said that these men are imported laborers and that they are paid at the rate of eighty-eight cents a day. The company has heretofore paid Indian labor one dollar and a half per day.

The A. & P. Railroad are now using cars leased from the Union Tank Line for water cars. These cars are a great improvement over the old A. & P. water cars, the tanks being of iron, and two of these cars carry as much water as five of the old wooden ones.

On Monday a bridge near Drake on the A. & P. was badly washed. A freight train passed over it safely, but it is a mystery how it got over without going into the ditch. Roadmaster Harrington with a force of men from that place put the bridge in a safe condition Monday night.

About two inches of rain fell here on Monday last. It was the first for several months and came in good season to renew the grass on the range and fill up the water holes, as both grass and water were getting short. Cattle on the range are in good condition and a few timely rains will make feed abundant.

Arthur Everett, the well-known Albuquerque jeweler, was robbed of one of his trunks containing watches and jewelry to the amount of \$1,600 at the A. & P. depot in Albuquerque one day last week. Mr. Everett was just starting on his regular trip over the A. & P. The thieves got safely away with the booty.

Mrs. Dr. Livingston, while out horseback riding on last Sunday, was thrown from her horse, striking on her head. The accident happened about a quarter of a mile west of town, on the Beal Springs road. She was picked up insensible and taken home, and it was several days before she recovered from the fall.

Capt. W. H. Hardy is the only man in town who talks politics and the Captain says: "Within the past ten days some attention has been paid to political matters. In the saloon and store and on the streets may be seen two or more men arguing politics. The fact that Mohave county has been swamped and her warrants depreciated from par to fifty cents on the dollar within four years past has aroused and excited the taxpayers and they seem to be fixing to remedy the end at the polls. Some talk is being made of getting up an independent ticket. Voters are calling loud for a new deal, a change of officials. The conventions will in all probability be put off until September. Then it is likely that both parties will make a complete ticket, unless the independent movement prevails."

Mohave County Mines.

EDITOR MINER:

For some time past but little mining news has appeared in the MINER. Miners have neglected to report. In many cases the mines have been worked with about the same result, hence there was no excitement or no new strikes. Within the past week I have visited several mines and found them all at work and doing remarkably well.

The Cupel mine was supposed to have been worked out to the 200-foot level, and as the pumps did not handle the water to give the miners a chance to work they were taken out over a year since. Last week a miner went into the old workings and began prospecting at a point where the ore gave out. The result was he drilled about six feet into the foot wall and found a fine vein of high grade ore. Lessee Mackenzie has put several miners at work and will put on more next week. Already they have a car load of ore out that is full of ruby silver and pure gold. The prospects are it will take months, if not years, to work out this new find.

The C. O. D. mine has been paying as usual. Soon the main shaft will be sunk to a vein level. The last level run has taken over one year to work out.

The Minnesota and Connor, owned and worked by John Barry, are turning out some rich ore, and the teams have more than they can do to haul it as fast as taken out. These mines are down about 200 feet and below water level, and may be considered permanent mines, which ought to produce large quantities of ore of a high grade.

The Night Hawk is another mine that has of late come to the front. A new body of high grade ore has been found further into the mountain, showing more permanency to the already rich mine.

All the above mentioned mines are paying dividends. There are twenty other mines that I saw or heard from that are doing well and making a profit over and above wages.

The present prospects in mining circles are as good or better than they ever were in this county.

Signal Notes.

SIGNAL, July 20, 1888.

EDITOR MINER:

Judge J. M. Murphy is working the McCracken mine and from the way he speaks the mine looks well. He has now six men there. Mr. Murphy has fitted up the McCracken assay office in Signal and Mr. T. Mulligan is doing the assaying.

The Big Sandy mine and mill is running steadily.

J. J. Jerome left recently for Cedar Valley. He thinks Cedar Valley will be one of the finest mining camps in the county ere long. He is taking some very rich ore out of the Arnold mine, of which he is superintendent.

To-day we had one of the heaviest rains of the season, and the road from here to the Big Sandy mine is washed out in four or five different places. The ore teams will have to lay off until the road is repaired, which will take two or three days.

Mr. Sam Butler arrived from California this evening.

Dancing is all the rage now. We only have from one to two a week.

Beecher's Arsenic Salve.

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Needles Nuggets.

The most important occurrence at Needles since the last batch of Nuggets went forward is the arrival from his Eastern tour of Deputy Sheriff Murphy (our Dan). Mr. Murphy looks as handsome as ever and is brimful of the good treatment he received "back East." His old friends, he said, were glad to see him, while his newly made ones tried themselves in his entertainment. Needles rejoices, for Needles is appreciative, and nothing tickles Needles more than to treat "our Dan" cleverly when he is among strangers.

Accompanying Mr. Murphy on his return was Mrs. Frank Monaghan, who after joining her husband here and spending a few days with her many friends and acquaintances of days ago, will return to her home in Los Angeles. Mr. Monaghan and the little lady will also go inside.

Engineer Bacon and Fireman Kuhl, who jumped from the flying Fifty and dislocated three or four car loads of the company's ties, are both doing nicely. Kuhl has returned to work and Bacon is out minus his crutches.

"Shorty" Space is suffering from nervous prostration, the result of fruitless endeavors to prevent people from believing that sea-land and walrus yarn.

For tin-horn gamblers and lemonade vendors Needles takes the entire bakery, but then that is a sign of prosperity, you know.

Captain Jim Duncan, the well-known railroad conductor, and one of New Mexico's most level-headed citizens, passed East the other night. He has \$5,000 to bet on the election of Cleveland & Thurman, but he couldn't get taken here in Los Angeles. He is almost willing to bet that California will go Democratic.

The Mojaves are now wowing and paltering at a great rate. It seems that the Acting Commissioner of the Interior Department has written a letter to the Indian Agent of the Mojaves appointing "Jim," generally known as "Captain Jim," to be chief of all the Indians at the Needles, with the euphonious and lofty sounding title of "General Jim."

The followers of old "Asketer" are indignant, while "General James" is correspondingly pompous and happy.

It may not be believed, but according to the Government rain gauge under Deputy Meteorological Inspector Clark we had one inch and twenty-eight hundredths of rain here the other day. The thermometer, according to the same reliable authority, has shown 113 degrees as the highest register of the year. Now we have it 90 and up to 102. This has been the finest summer ever seen at Needles. Look out for a boom here poco tiempo.

SALAMANDER.

The Tax Roll.

The amount of property added to the roll by the Board of Equalization is in round figures \$10,911.50.

The amount stricken off the roll and the reductions made amount to \$17,270.

The Board to this date have reduced the total of the roll as received from the Assessor \$6,358.50.

Whole number of persons owning cattle, 127. Greatest number owned by one individual, 2,303; smallest number, 1.

Whole number of persons on the roll, 325.

Highest individual assessment aside from the railroad, \$30,065.

The grand total of the roll is \$3,676,915.25.

Abstract of the Assessment Roll of Mohave County, Arizona, for the Year 1888.

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| Whole number of acres of land other than town or city lots listed | 2,975,010 | \$ 638,338.00 |
| Value thereof | | |
| Value of improvements thereon | | \$6,000.00 |
| Whole number of town and city lots listed | 761 | 10,396.50 |
| Value thereof | | |
| Value of improvements thereon | | \$6,000.00 |
| Whole number of miles of railway | 118 1/2 | 2,270,000.00 |
| Value thereof at \$20,000 per mile | | |
| Whole number of horses | 1,377 | 40,265.00 |
| Value thereof | | |
| Whole number of mules | 108 | 3,900.00 |
| Value thereof | | |
| Whole number of asses | 118 | 1,285.00 |
| Value thereof | | |
| Whole number of sheep | 30,752 | 254,212.00 |
| Value thereof at \$12.25 per head | | |
| Whole number of swine | 46 | 150.00 |
| Value thereof | | |
| Whole number of goats | 750 | 1,100.00 |
| Value thereof | | |
| Gross amount of all other taxable property | | \$97,400.25 |
| Total valuation of all property | | \$3,676,915.25 |

Notice to Taxpayers.

List of all persons the valuation of whose property has been added to, with the amount so added, on the Assessment Roll for the year 1888, who have not appeared before the Board of Equalization and a list of all property the valuation of which has been added to on the Assessment Roll, with the amount so added, the owners of which have not appeared before the Board, published under and in accordance with Section 2854, Revised Statutes of Arizona.

Arizona Northern Mining Company. Added to the roll, Connor mine, \$1,000; Cerbat mine, \$750; Rolling Wave, \$500.

Cohen & Spencer. Raised on cattle, 200 head, \$2,450.00.

R. L. Frazier. Raised on cattle, 100 head, \$1,225.00.

T. F. Garner. Raised on cattle, 25 head, \$306.25.

Jesus Maria Rojas. Raised on cattle, 110 head, \$1,347.50.

B. H. Spear. Raised \$100 on Kingman town lots.

Notice is hereby given to the above named persons that the Board of Equalization will be in session at the Court House in Kingman on Monday, August 27th, 1888, at 10 a. m., when and where any controversy in regard to the above will be heard and determined.

By order of the Board of Equalization. JAMES J. HYDE, Clerk Board of Supervisors and ex-Officio Clerk Board of Equalization.

Discontinuation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Fay, Ziemer & Barrett is this day dissolved. Harley Fay having sold his interest in the business to James O. Barrett. The business will be continued under the firm name of Russell, Ziemer & Barrett, who will collect all accounts due the firm and pay all debts owed by the firm.

RUSSELL, ZIEMER & BARRETT. Kingman, Arizona, July 24th, 1888.

For SALE—A lot of Babbitt metal. Will be sold at a bargain. Inquire at this office.

The MINER is ready to make announcements for any individual member of any political party.

NOTICE.

Owing to the shrinkage of ice caused by opening the ice house during the heat of the day, consumers will confer a favor and save us much loss by getting their ice before eight o'clock a. m. and after seven p. m.

W. H. TAGGART & CO.

MARRIED.

BACON—HUNT.—At the Willows, Mohave county, Arizona, at the residence of Edwin Imus, on August 1st, 1888, Mr. W. F. Bacon to Miss Carrie E. Hunt, Rev. W. G. Blakely officiating.

BORN.

HUBBS.—In Kingman, July 29th, 1888, to the wife of Harvey Hubbs, a son.

DIED.

HUBBS.—In Kingman, July 29th, 1888, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hubbs.

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NO. OF SHARES, - 400,000
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PRINCIPAL OFFICE: KINGMAN, ARIZ.

OFFICERS:

WM. RICHARDS, - - - PRESIDENT,
C. M. FUNSTON, - - - SECRETARY,
W. H. TAGGART, - - - TREASURER.

Board of Directors:

WILLIAM RICHARDS, - Kingman, Arizona.
C. M. FUNSTON, - " "
W. H. TAGGART, - " "
J. J. HYDE, - " "
HARVEY HUBBS, - " "

Original Incorporators:

W. H. TAGGART, WILLIAM RICHARDS,
BEN. H. SPEAR, JAMES J. HYDE,
WM. G. BLAKELY, ROBERT STEEN,
O. F. KUENCER, ER. WILLIAMS,
E. F. THOMPSON, GUS. W. BEECHER.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, Ben. H. Spear, W. H. Taggart, Ed. Williams, Wm. G. Blakely, Robert Steen, James J. Hyde, Gus. W. Beecher, William Richards, O. F. Kuencer and E. F. Thompson, all of the County of Mohave, Territory of Arizona, have associated ourselves together for the objects and purposes hereinafter mentioned, and desiring to become incorporated under the laws of the Territory of Arizona, in such case made and provided, do hereby subscribe and acknowledge these articles of incorporation, viz:

First. The name assumed by this corporation, and by which it shall be known and transact its business, is "The Mohave Mining and Milling Corporation," and as such it shall have an existence or duration for the term of Thirty (30) years from the date of the filing of these articles.

Second. The enterprise, business, pursuit and occupation for which this corporation is formed are to purchase or otherwise acquire mining lands, mines, mining rights or interests therein, mills, furnaces and other property; to purchase or otherwise acquire mill sites and water privileges; to mine for gold and silver and other minerals and metals; to purchase or otherwise acquire gold and silver ore and other ore, minerals and metals; to carry on processes for preparing ore, minerals and metals for market, and marketing the same; to roll, stamp, crush, smelt, refine and treat gold and silver ore, and other ore, minerals and metals in any method for sale and to sell the same; to sell, let, lease or otherwise dispose of any mines, claims, lands, rights, ores, bullion or other property owned or possessed by said corporation.

Third. The principal office of this corporation shall be kept at the town of Kingman, in the county of Mohave and Territory of Arizona, at which office the principal business of said corporation shall be transacted.

Fourth. The amount of the capital stock of said corporation shall be Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00), divided into Four Hundred Thousand shares (\$500.00) of the par value of Five Dollars (\$5.00) each, and which shall be non-assessable.

In Witness Whereof, The said Ben. H. Spear, W. H. Taggart, Ed. Williams, Wm. G. Blakely, Robert Steen, James J. Hyde, Gus. W. Beecher, William Richards, O. F. Kuencer and E. F. Thompson, have hereunto subscribed their names and affixed their seals, this ninth day of May, A. D. 1887.

BEN. H. SPEAR, (SEAL.)
W. H. TAGGART, (SEAL.)
ED. WILLIAMS, (SEAL.)
WM. G. BLAKELY, (SEAL.)
ROBERT STEEN, (SEAL.)
JAMES J. HYDE, (SEAL.)
GUS. W. BEECHER, (SEAL.)
WILLIAM RICHARDS, (SEAL.)
O. F. KUENCER, (SEAL.)
E. F. THOMPSON, (SEAL.)

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in presence of Frank F. Watkins, Notary Public, Territory of Arizona, County of Mohave.

On this ninth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, before me, Frank F. Watkins, a Notary Public in and for said county of Mohave, personally appeared Ben. H. Spear, W. H. Taggart, Ed. Williams, Wm. G. Blakely, Robert Steen, James J. Hyde, Gus. W. Beecher, William Richards, O. F. Kuencer and E. F. Thompson, personally known to me to be the same persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and who executed the same, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same freely and voluntarily and for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

FRANK F. WATKINS, Notary Public.

Endorsed: "Filed in the office of the Secretary of the Territory of Arizona this 11th day of May, A. D. 1887, at 3 o'clock p. m."

WM. C. FOSTER, Acting Secretary of Territory.

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA, Office of the Secretary, }
I, Wm. C. Foster, Acting Secretary of the Territory of Arizona, do hereby certify that the above is a full, true and correct copy of the Original Articles of Incorporation of the "Mohave Mining and Milling Corporation," together with the indorsement of filing thereon, now on file in my office.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal. Done at Prescott this Twelfth (12th) day of May, A. D. 1887.

WM. C. FOSTER, Acting Secretary of Territory.

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